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In re Application of:

Kazuaki TARUMI et al.

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Serial No.: 09/920,619

Examiner: Shean Chiu Wu

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Title: LIQUID-CRYSTALLINE MEDIUM AND LIQUID-CRYSTAL DISPLAY

**REPLY**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed February 5, 2003, kindly amend the above-identified application as follows.

**Amendments and additions to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.

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